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- 1. AMBASSADOR JOVA CALLED AFTER BREAKFAST MEETING WITH PRESS IN GUADALAJARA WITH FOLLOWING.
- 2. CONSENSUS OF THOSE WITH WHOM HE HAS TALKED IS THAT KIDNAPPING IS ATTEMPT TO EMBARASS PRESIDENT ECHEVERRIA BEFORE SEPTEMBER 1 STATE OF NATION ADDRESS.
- 3. ONE REPORTER AT MEETING CLAIMED TO HAVE SEEN KIDNAP NOTE AND SAID IT CALLED FOR RESIGNATION OF ECHEVERRIA, PAYMENT OF TWENTY MILLION PESOS (1.6 MILLION DOLLARS), RELEASE OF SOME THIRTEEN PRISONERS, AND USE OF PLANE TO LEAVE COUNTRY.
- 4. REPORTERS QUERIED AMBASSADOR ABOUT ALLEGED DECLARATION BY VICENTE ZUNO (SON OF VICTIM, BROTHER OF MRS. ECHEVERRIA, NOTORIOUSLY FAR LEFT AND ANTI-U.S.) THAT "AMERICAN IMPERIALISM AND INTERVENTION IN UNIVERSITY AFFAIRS IN GUADALJARA ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS KIDNAPPING."
- 5. COMMENT: NEITHER EMBASSY NOR AMBASSADOR HAS VERIFIED EXISTENCE LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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OF VICENTE ZUNO DECLARATION.

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